Croda Community Notification System

As part of our commitment to safety and socially responsible business practices, we have a dedicated alarm to notify our community in the event of an emergency.

Croda's Atlas Point facility has an audible community alarm, the "Croda Community Notification System" (CCNS), separate from our site-only alarms for employees, to alert the community to situations, if ever needed. Working in cooperation with the New Castle County Office of Emergency Management, the CCNS would be used to notify neighbors of an emergency.



2021 CCNS testing schedule

- February 9th Conducted at 7:00 pm and sounded for 5 minutes
- May 11th Conducted at 7:00 pm and sounded for 5 minutes
- August 10th Scheduled for 7:00 pm and planned to sound for 5 minutes
- November 9th Scheduled for 7:00 pm and planned to sound for 5 minutes

How does it work?

The CCNS is an audible speaker system which projects an emergency tone to people living and working near the Croda plant. This currently includes portions of Collins Park, Swanwyck Gardens, Holloway Terrace, and Simonds Gardens.

The CCNS will be activated in the event of an emergency at the Croda facility where the surrounding community would be required to take action. When the CCNS is activated, the neighboring community will hear a tone that will sound in a steady manner for five minutes.

What should I do if I hear it?

If you hear this tone outside of the test schedule listed above, please tune to one of the emergency broadcast stations listed below for further instructions.

Emergency Broadcast Stations:

WSTW 93.7 FM

WDSD 94.7 FM

WTMC 1380 AM and 98.5 FM (DELDOT Radio broadcast)

WVUD 91.3 FM

WDEL 1150 AM

WILM 1450 AM

WJBR 99.5 FM

Comcast (Xfinity), Atlantic Broadband and Verizon FIOS also broadcast

Be prepared...

- For more information on the CCNS visit: www.croda.com/atlas-point or call our Community Information Line at 302-429-5474.
- New Castle County offers community information on their site http://nccde.org/154/
 Emergency-Management
- Register for DENS at https://dema.delaware.gov/onlineServices/index.shtml?dc=dens

This notice and the expansion of our alarm system is undertaken as part of the settlement of an enforcement action.

